

House Resolution 2295

By: Representatives Wix of the 33rd, Porter of the 143rd, Smyre of the 132nd, Hugley of the 133rd, Randall of the 138th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Representative Rob Teilhet for his service to the Georgia House of
2 Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet planted his political seeds as an administrative aide to
4 the Georgia State Senate in 1997; and

5 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet earned both his undergraduate and law degrees from the
6 University of Georgia in Athens where he also served as President of the Class of 2000; and

7 WHEREAS, Representative Rob Teilhet was elected in 2002 and has honorably served the
8 people of the 40th district for eight years and has been the Chief Deputy Whip of the House
9 Democratic Caucus for the past four years; and

10 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet is respected by Republicans and Democrats alike
11 because of the sincere and honest manner with which he does his job in the House; and

12 WHEREAS, during his tenure in the Georgia House of Representatives, Representative
13 Teilhet has developed a reputation for working diligently to protect crime victims, children,
14 and the elderly; and

15 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet has been recognized as one of Georgia's Most Influential
16 People by *James Magazine* and a "Star to Watch" by the National Journal's Hotline; and

17 WHEREAS, due to the ethical manner and integrity with which he has represented the
18 people of Smyrna and Marietta, Georgia, Representative Teilhet has received awards from
19 the Cobb County Association of Educators, Georgia Family Council, Georgia Psychological
20 Association, Georgia Municipal Association, and the Georgia Water Coalition; and

21 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet and his wife, Heather, live in Smyrna, Georgia, with
22 their twin daughters; and

23 WHEREAS, in 2010 Representative Teilhet decided to leave the Georgia House of
24 Representatives to run for Attorney General; and

25 WHEREAS, Representative Teilhet's voice of reason, leadership, and contributions to the
26 House shall be missed as he pursues his future endeavors.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body recognizes Representative Rob Teilhet's service and contributions
29 to Cobb County and the State of Georgia and wish him the best in his future endeavors.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Representative Rob Teilhet.